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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2003, please consider the following traversal, provisional election, and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (1) a Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate), for four months from November 21, 2003, to and including, March 21, 2004, with a provision authorizing payment of the required fee; and (2) a Notification of Loss of Entitlement to Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2).

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.